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APPENDIX 2. SAMPLE AIRPLANE FLIGHT MANUAL SUPPLEMENT .

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FAA APPROVED AIRPLANE FLIGHT MANUAL SUPPLEMENT
LORAN-C NAVIGATION SYSTEM

AIRPLANE MAKE:

AIRPLANE MODEL:

AIRPLANE SERIAL NUMBER:

AIRPLANE REGISTRATION NUMBER:

This document must be carried in the airplane at all times. It describes the operating procedures for the _____ Loran-C System when it has been installed in accordance with (manufacturer's installation manual) and FAA Form 337 dated _____.

For airplanes with a Pilot's Operating Handbook and/or FAA approved Airplane Flight Manual, this document serves as the FAA Approved _____ Loran-C Flight Manual Supplement. When the Loran-C system is installed in an airplane that does not have an FAA approved Airplane Flight Manual, this document serves as the FAA Approved Supplemental Flight Manual.

The information contained herein supplements or supersedes the basic Airplane Flight Manual only in those areas listed herein. For limitations, procedures, and performance information not contained in this document, consult the basic Airplane Flight Manual (if applicable).

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(Inspector's Name)
Aviation Safety Inspector (Avionics)
ACE-GADO/ACDO/FSDO # _____
Federal Aviation Administration

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SECTION I

INTRODUCTION

A. EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION

Provide a general description of the Loran-C Area Navigation System installed in the aircraft.

B. GENERAL

Provided the _____ Loran-C navigation system is receiving adequate usable signals it has been demonstrated capable of and has been shown to meet the accuracy specifications of:

1. VFR/IFR en route, terminal and approach (if applicable) operation within the conterminous United States and Alaska in accordance with the criteria of AC 20-121A.
2. Flight in the North Atlantic (NAT) Minimum Navigation Performance Specifications (MNPS) airspace in accordance with AC 91-49, General Procedures for Flight in North Atlantic Minimum Navigation Performance Specifications Airspace (if applicable).

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SECTION II

LIMITATIONS

- A. The _____ Loran-C Pilot's Guide, P/N _____, dated _____, or later revision) must be immediately available to the flightcrew whenever navigation is predicated on the use of the system.
- B. Navigation using the _____ Loran-C system is limited to the following area(s).

(Define approved operating areas)
- C. IFR navigation is prohibited unless the pilot verifies each selected waypoint for accuracy by reference to current approved data.

(If the equipment incorporates a navigation data base or stored flight plan data, the pilot must verify the currency of this data prior to use.)
- D. When using the Loran-C, additional equipment required for the specific type of operation must be installed and operable.
- E. The Loran-C system position must be checked for accuracy (reasonableness) prior to use as a means of navigation and under the following conditions:
1. Prior to each compulsory reporting point during IFR operation when not under radar surveillance or control.
 2. Prior to requesting off-airway routing, and at hourly intervals thereafter during RNAV operation off approved RNAV routes.
 3. At or prior to arrival at each en route waypoint during RNAV operation along approved RNAV routes.
 4. Upon acquisition of a new GRI.
- F. During periods of dead reckoning operation, the _____ Loran-C should be used with care.

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SECTION III

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

- A. If sensor information is intermittent or lost, utilize remaining operational navigation equipment as required.

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SECTION IV

NORMAL PROCEDURES

A. OPERATION

Normal operating procedures are outlined in the Pilot's Guide, P/N _____, dated _____, (or later revision).

B. SYSTEM ANNUNCIATORS

Describe each remote annunciator, such as:

1. Waypoint (WPT)
2. Message (MSG)
3. Dead Reckoning (DR)
4. Crosstrack (X-Track) (Parallel-offset)
5. Equipment Status (signal strength, signal status, signal-to-noise ratio, system failure, etc.)

C. SYSTEM SWITCHES

Describe the function and operation of the various switches used with the system.

D. PILOT'S DISPLAY

Describe the pilot's display (i.e., CDI, HSI, RMI, OBS).

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E. COPILOT'S DISPLAY

Describe the copilot's display (i.e., CDI, HSI, RMI, OBS).

F. AUTOPILOT OPERATION

Describe the coupling of Loran-C steering information to the autopilot.

G. FLIGHT DIRECTOR

Describe the coupling of Loran-C steering information to the flight director.

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SECTION V

ABNORMAL PROCEDURES

No change.

SECTION VI

PERFORMANCE

No Change

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APPENDIX 3. SAMPLE DATA SHEET TO ATTACH TO FAA FORM 337.

ATTACH TO FAA FORM 337

AIRPLANE MAKE:

AIRPLANE MODEL:

AIRPLANE SERIAL NUMBER:

AIRPLANE REGISTRATION NUMBER:

DATE WORK COMPLETED:

_____ Loran-C Navigation System, consisting of the following components, was installed per _____ Installation Manual Number _____, Revision _____, dated _____. The installation conforms to AC 43.13-1A and AC 43.13-2A.

<u>Equipment</u>	<u>Part Number</u>	<u>Serial Number</u>	<u>Software Version</u>
_____ Nav Computer	xxx-xx-xxxx	yyyy-zz	ww
_____ Antenna	xxx-xx-xxxx	yyyy-zz	-
_____ Control/Display etc.	xxx-xx-xxxx	yyyy-zz	ww

Proper ground operation of the _____ system was confirmed through completion of the system checkout, Section ____, of the Installation Manual. The system was found to meet or exceed all specifications of this section.

A flight check was made to insure that the accuracy requirements of AC 20-121A were met during flight. () YES () NOT APPLICABLE

PLACE LORAN-C ACCURACY DATA IN AIRCRAFT PERMANENT RECORDS (If applicable)

WAYPOINT:

Latitude/Longitude:

or

Station Identifier/Frequency:

Radial:

Distance:

Altitude:

Perpendicular distance to tangent point:

Distance along track from tangent point:

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MEASURED SYSTEM ERROR:

Along-Track Error

Crosstrack Error:

ALLOWABLE SYSTEM ERROR FROM AC 20-121A, PARAGRAPH 9:

Along-Track Error

Crosstrack Error

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LORAN-C CHAIN COVERAGE DIAGRAM

Figure 1

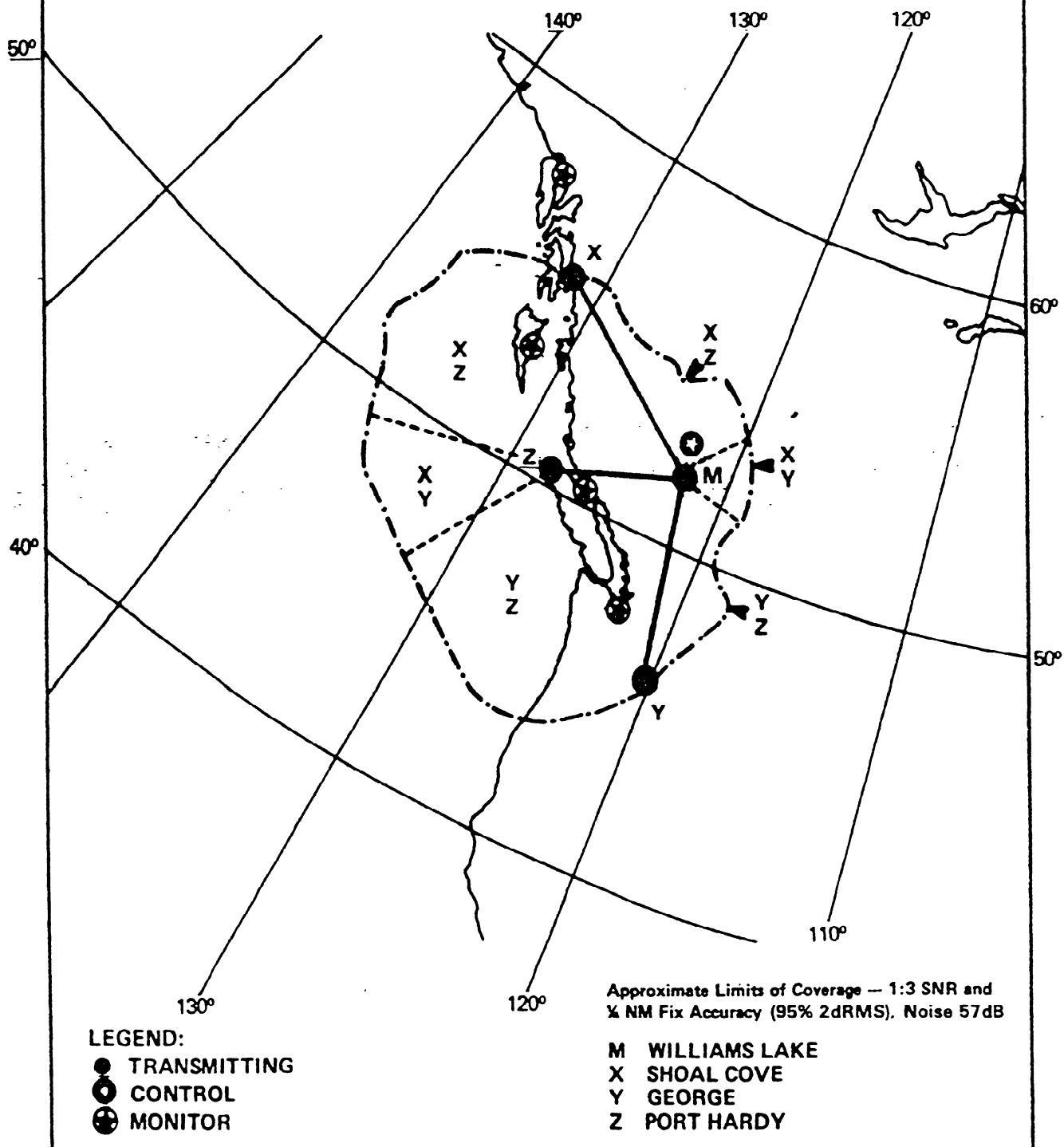
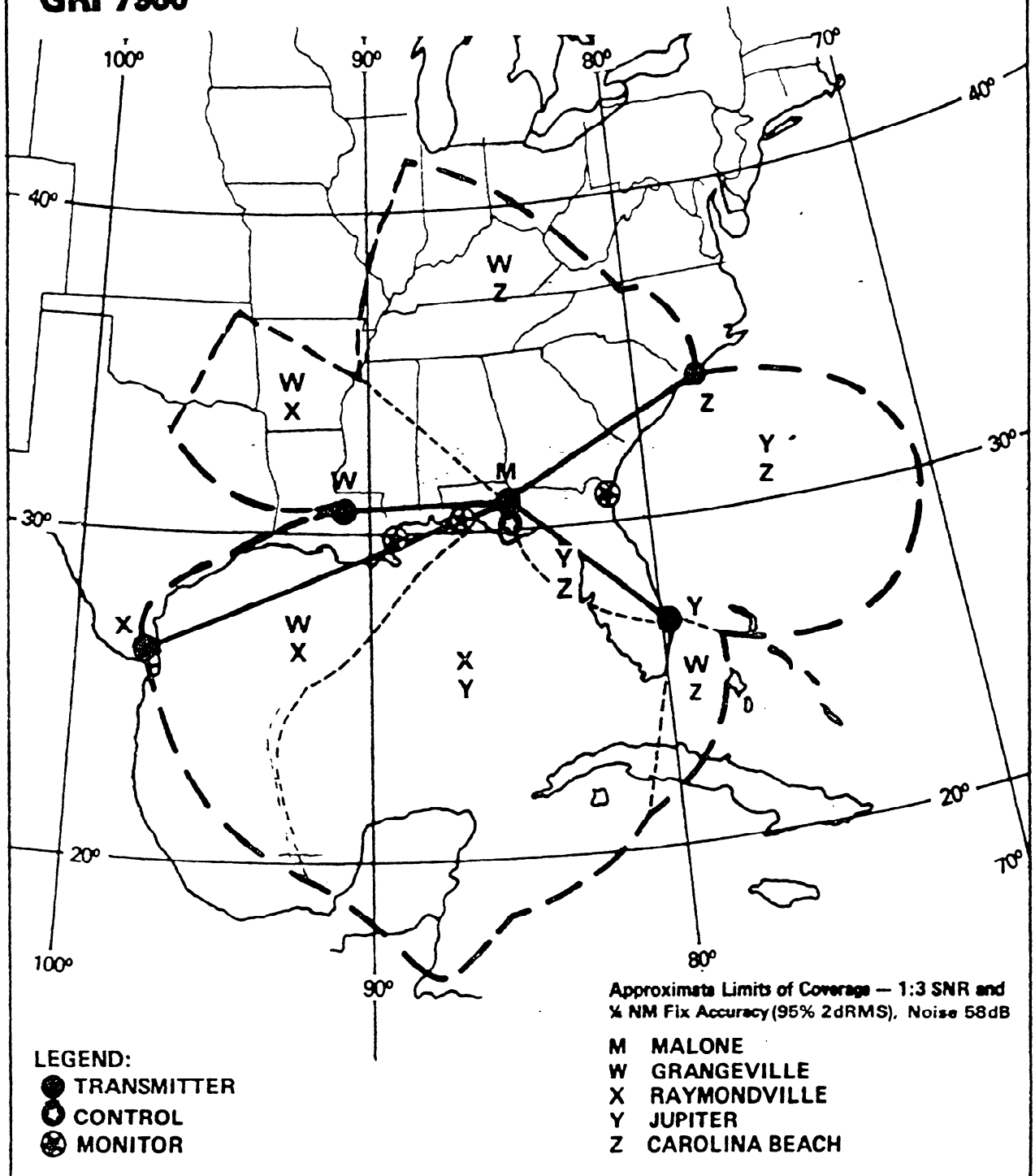
LORAN-C**CANADIAN WEST COAST CHAIN****GRI 5990**This diagram reflects
observed data.

Figure 2

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SOUTHEAST U.S. CHAIN

GRI 7980



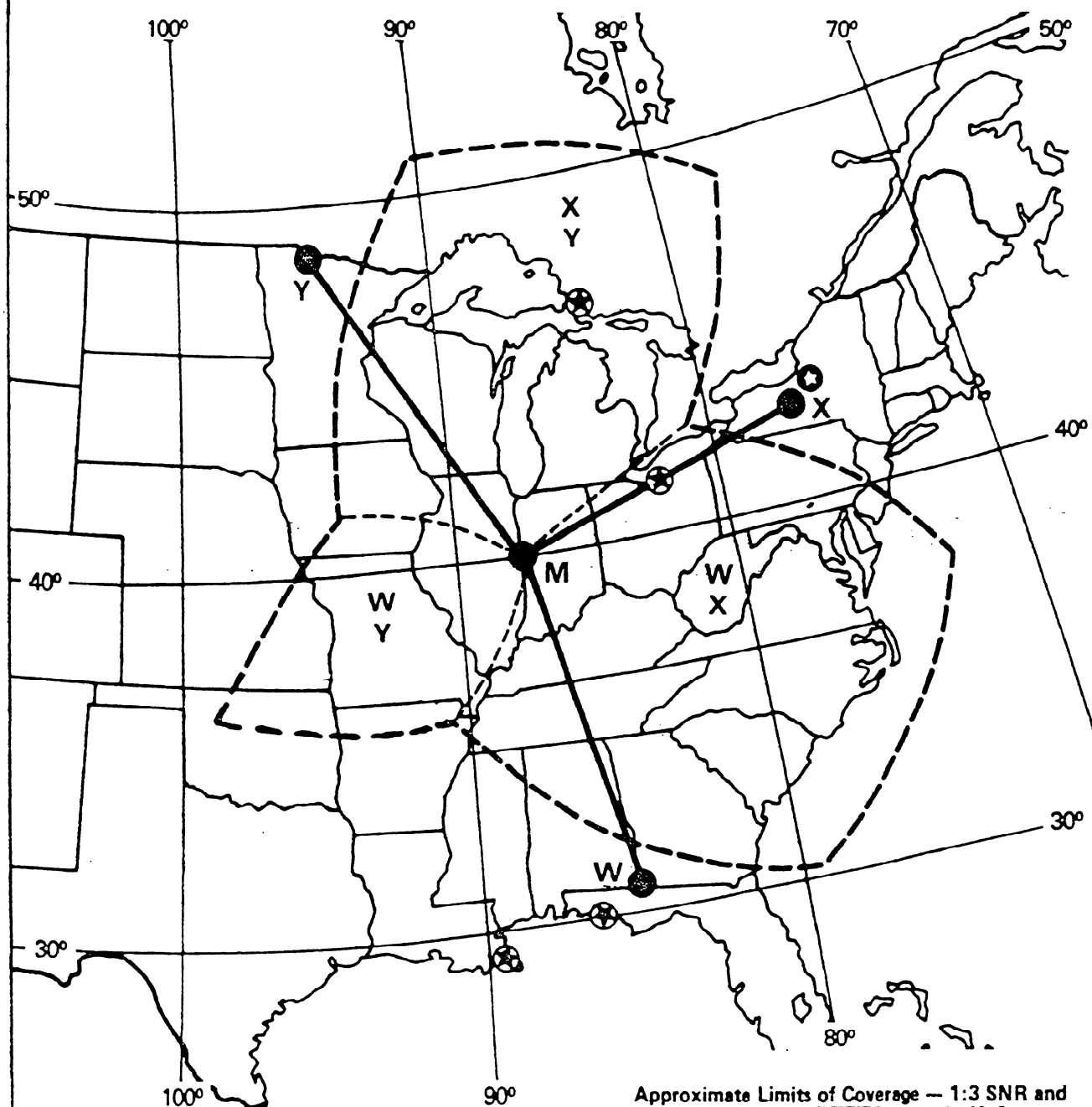
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Figure 3

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GREAT LAKES CHAIN

GRI 8970



Approximate Limits of Coverage — 1:3 SNR and
¼ NM Fix Accuracy (95% 2dRMS), Noise 53dB

LEGEND:

- TRANSMITTER
- ⊕ CONTROL
- ★ MONITOR

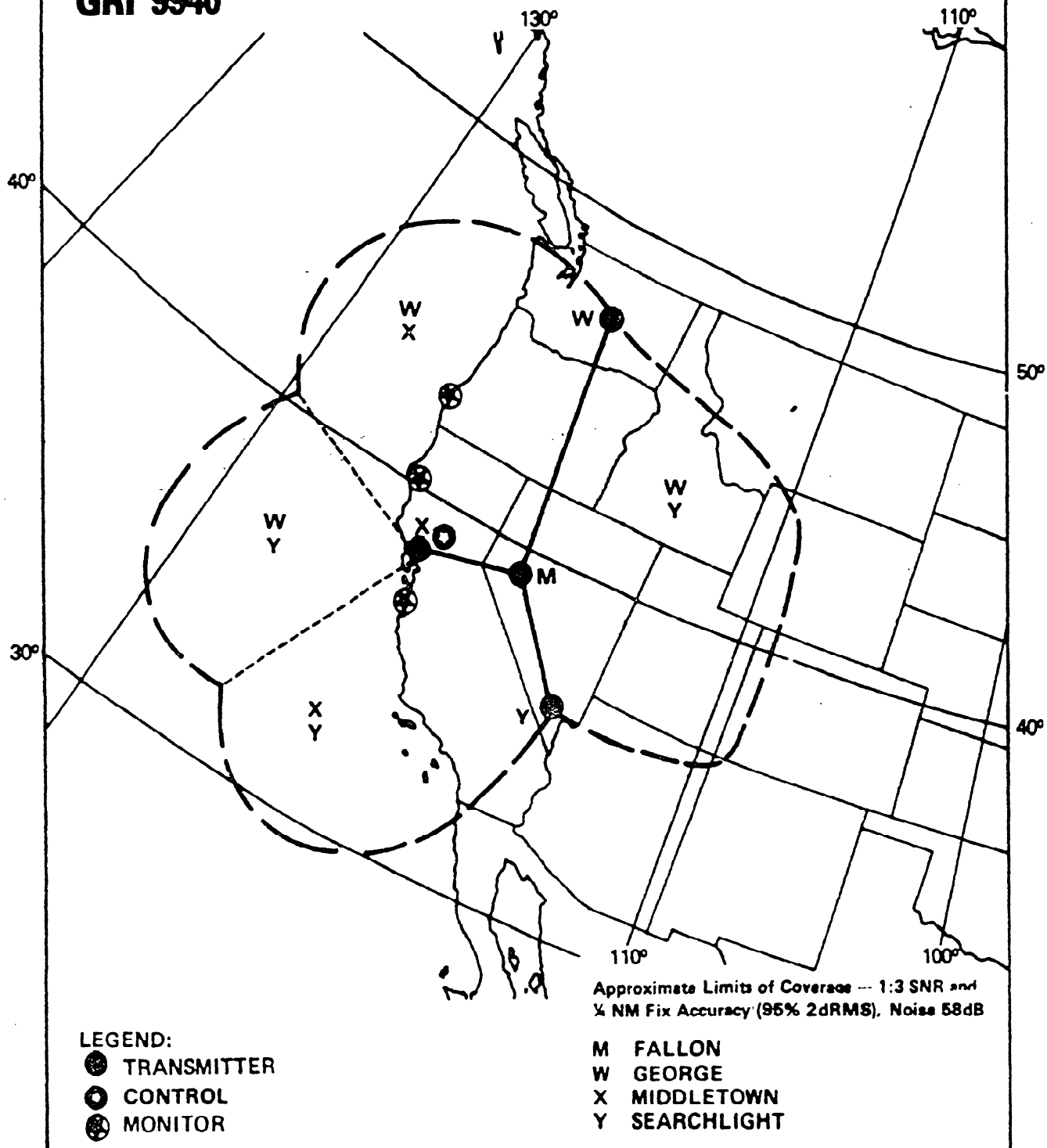
- M DANA
- W MALONE
- X SENECA
- Y BAUDETTE

Figure 4

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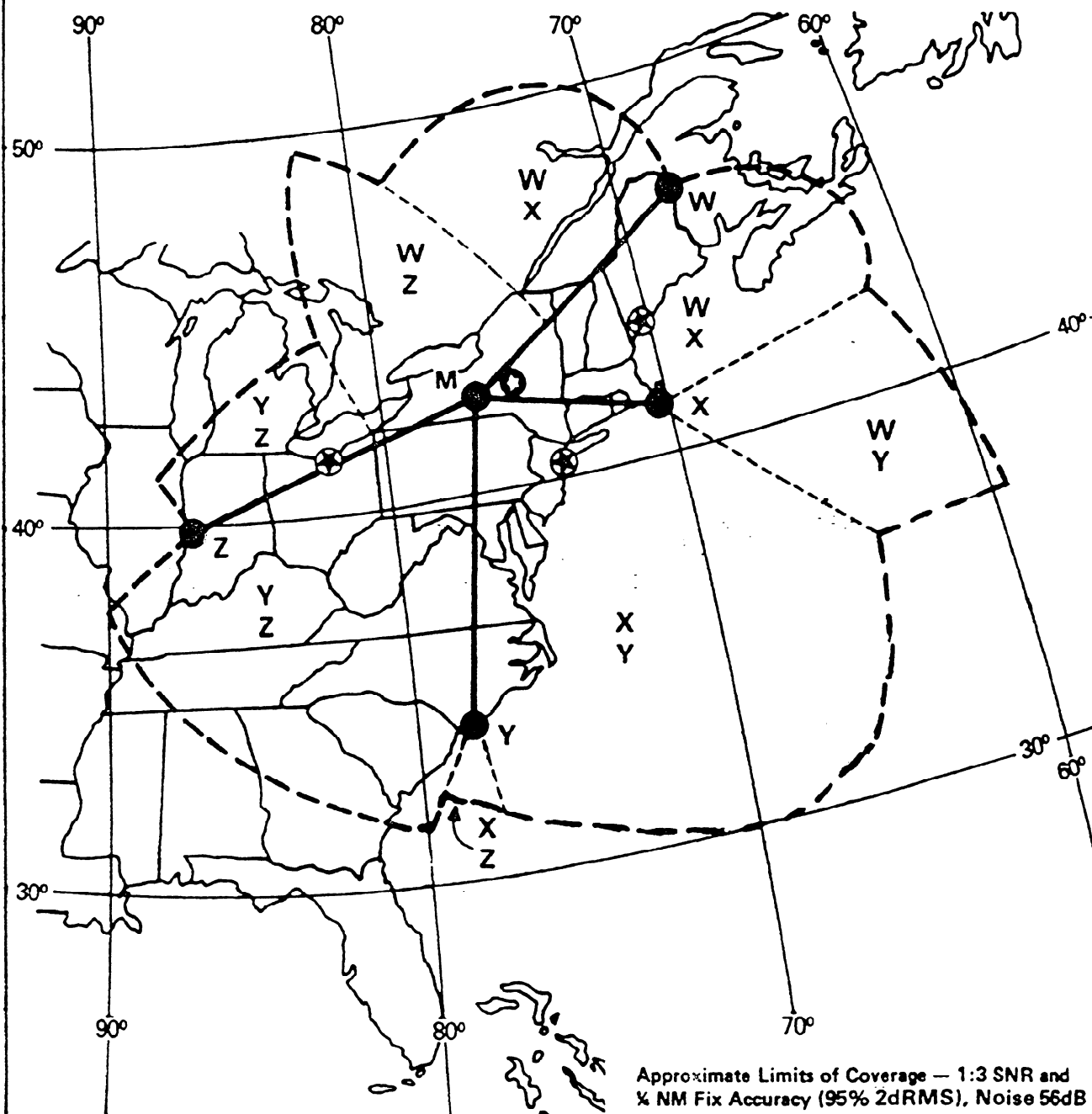
U.S. WEST COAST CHAIN

GRI 9940



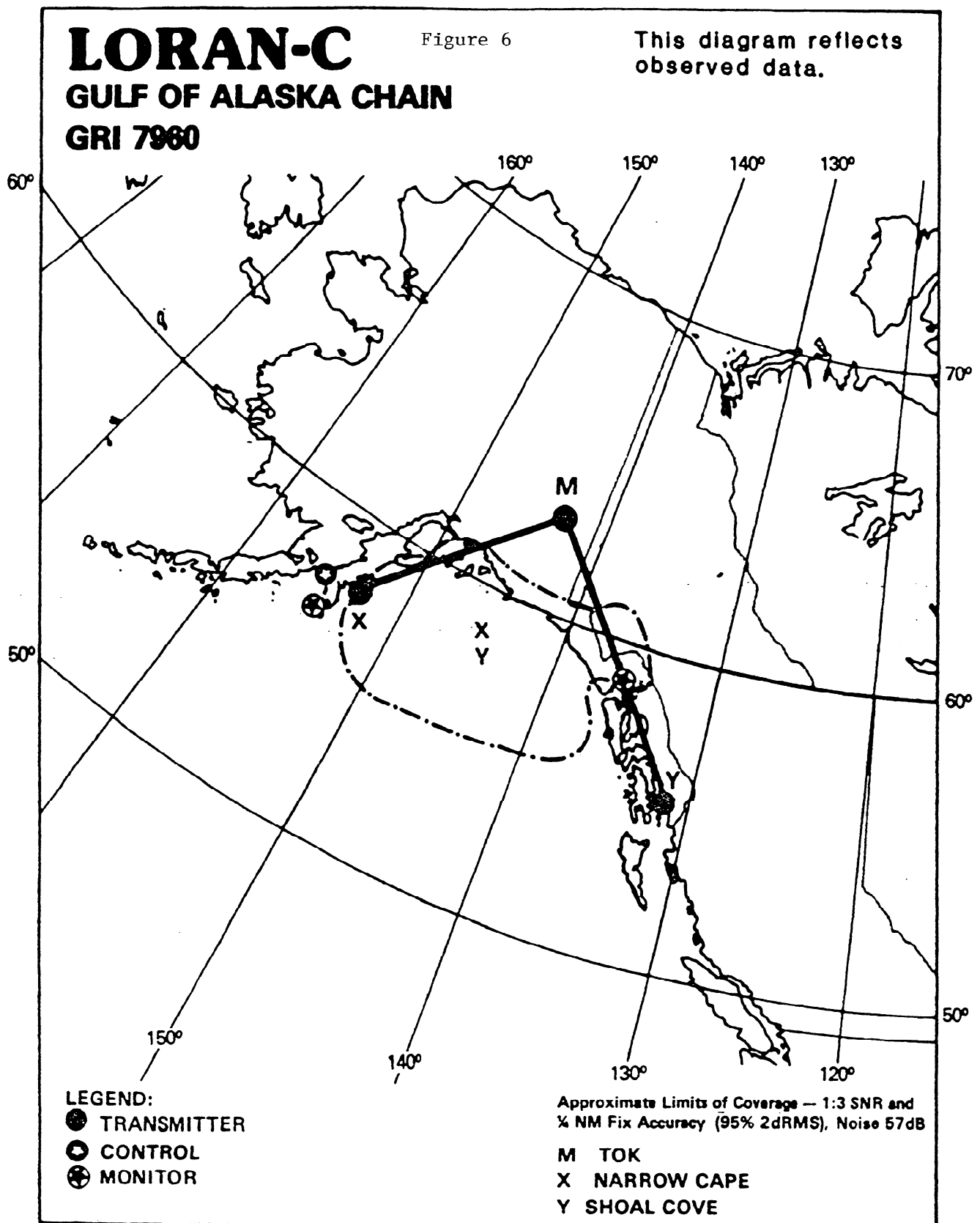
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Figure 5

NORTHEAST U.S. CHAIN**GRI 9960****LEGEND:**

- TRANSMITTING
- ★ CONTROL
- ⊗ MONITOR

- M SENECA
- W CARIBOU
- X NANTUCKET
- Y CAROLINA BEACH
- Z DANA



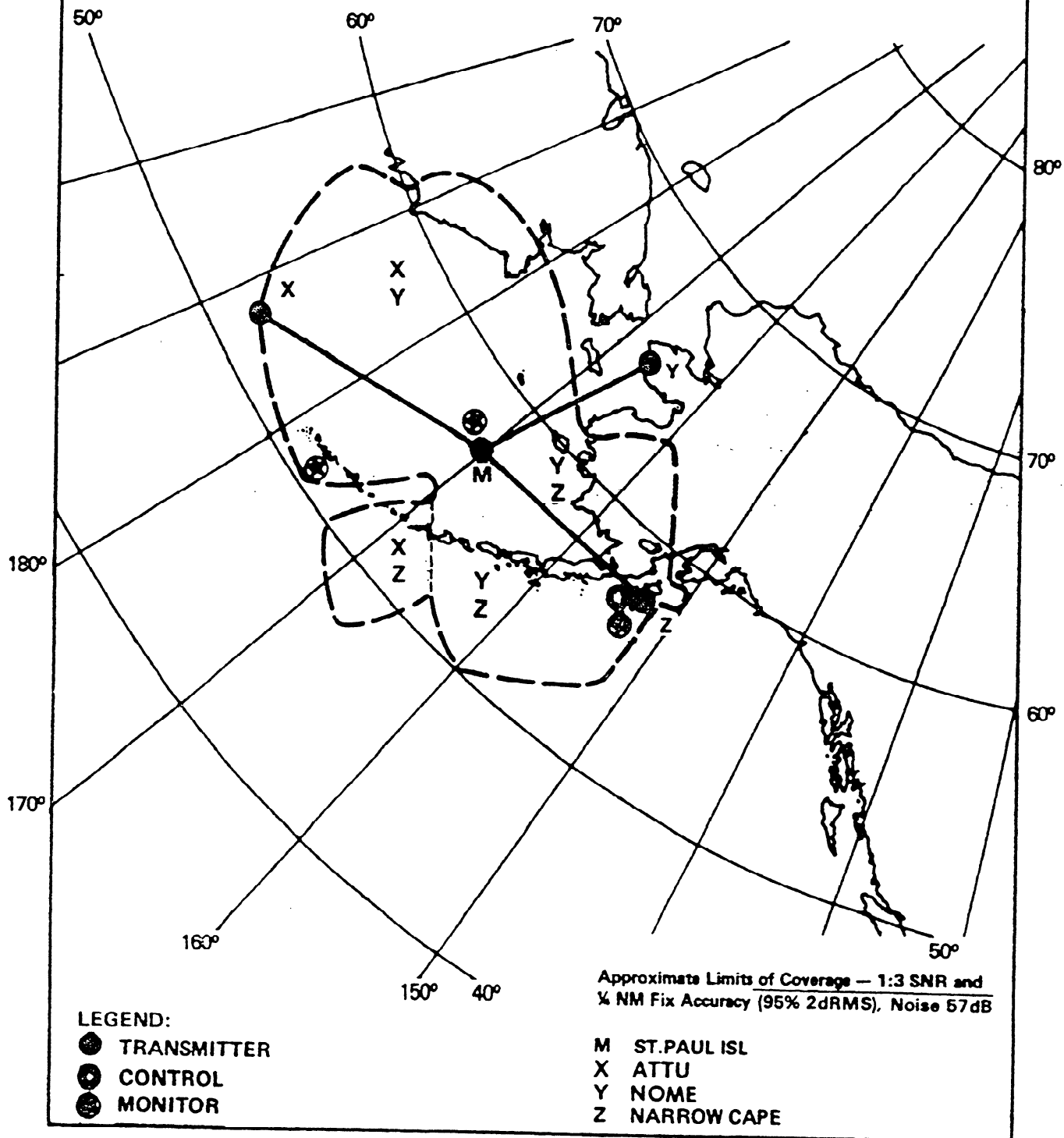
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NORTH PACIFIC CHAIN

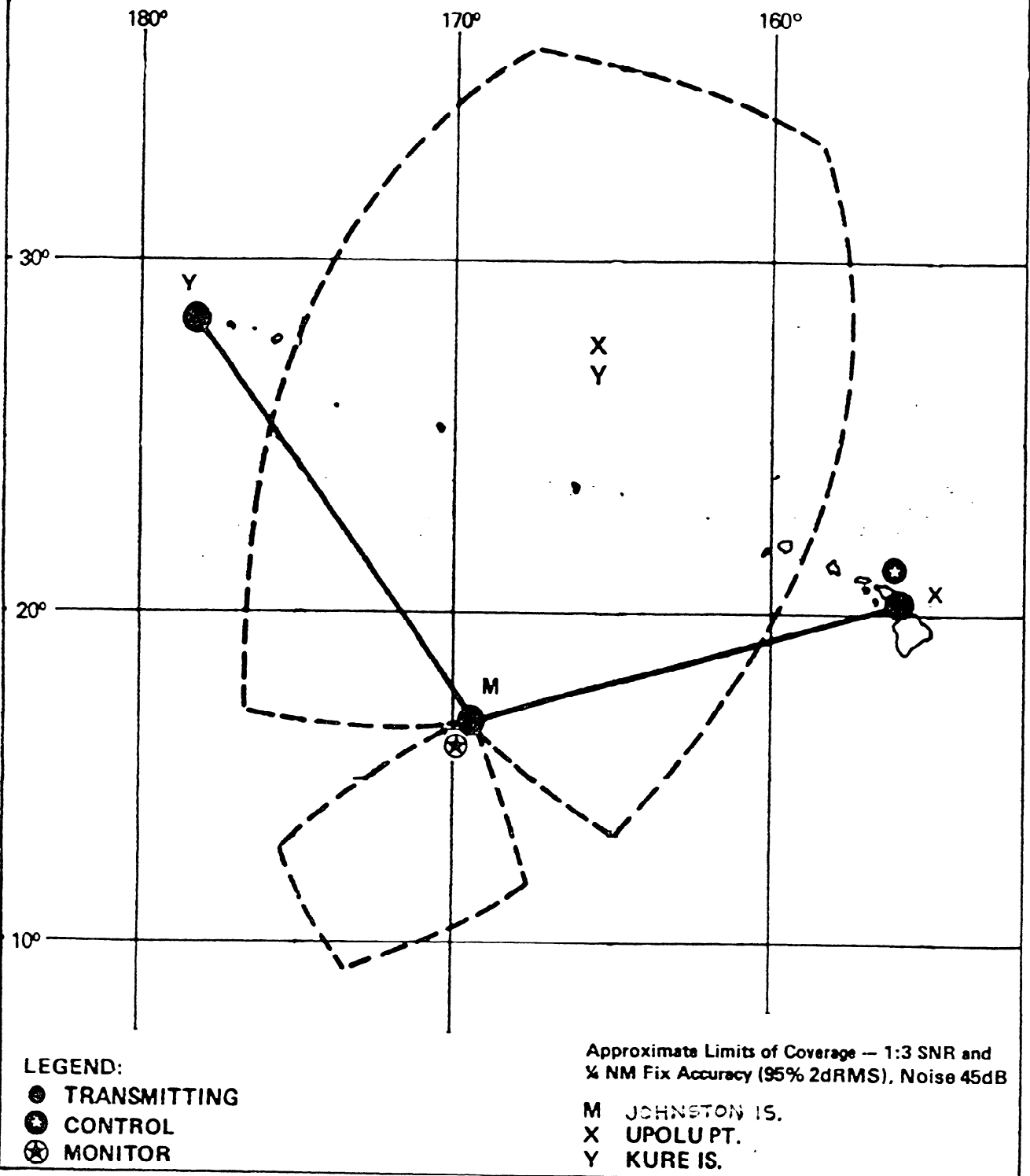
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Figure 7



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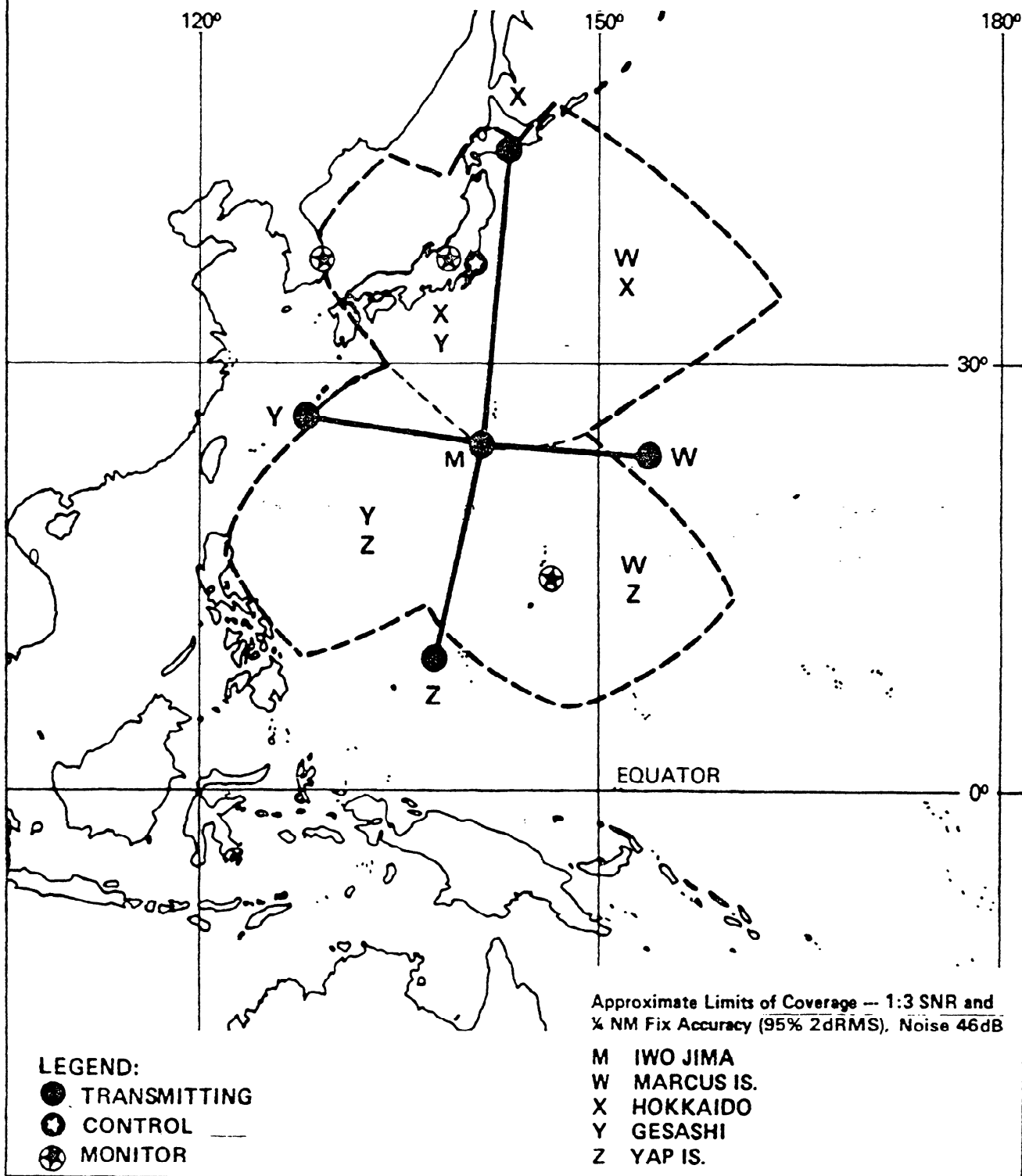
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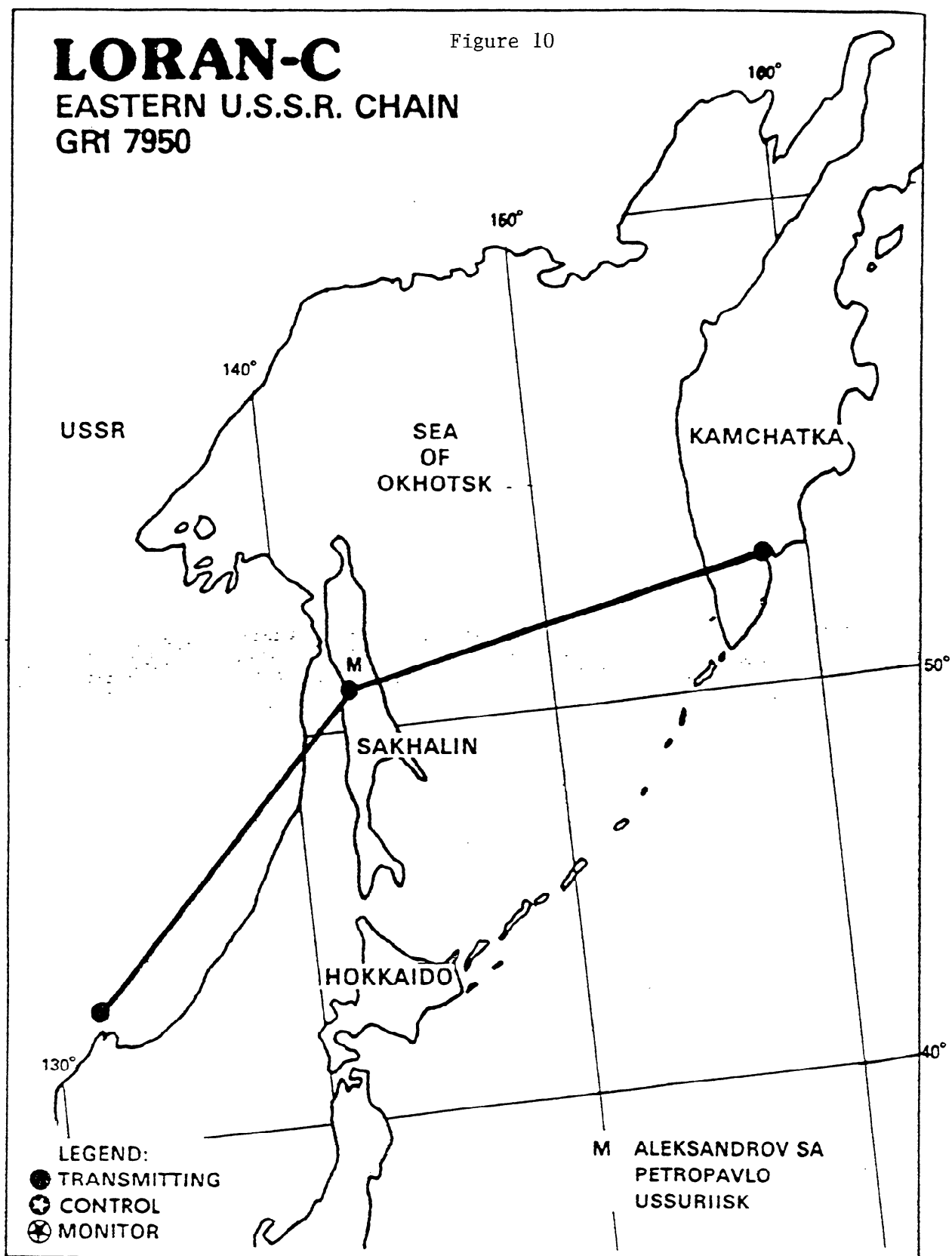
**CENTRAL PACIFIC CHAIN
GRI 4990**

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Figure 9

NORTHWEST PACIFIC CHAIN GRI 9970





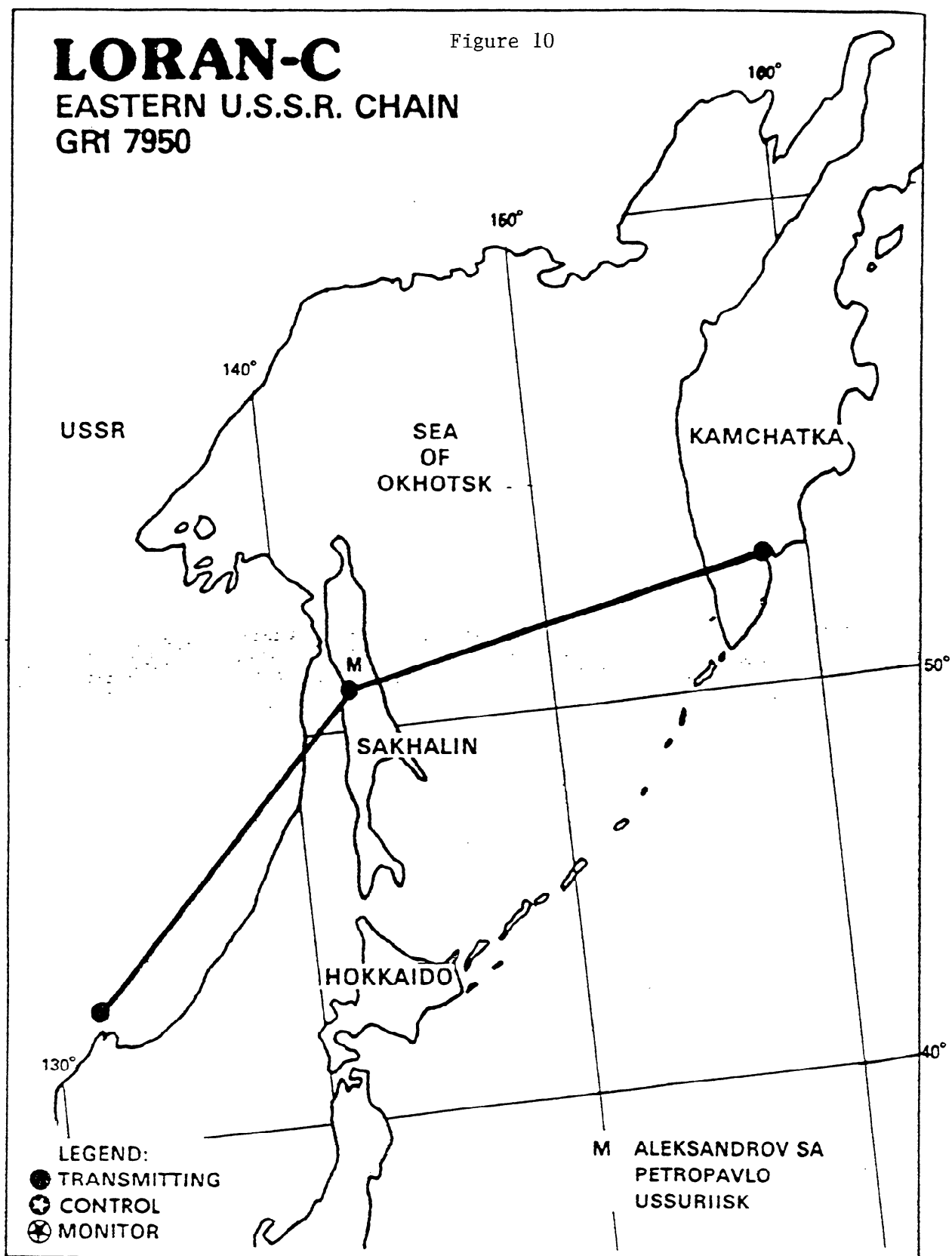
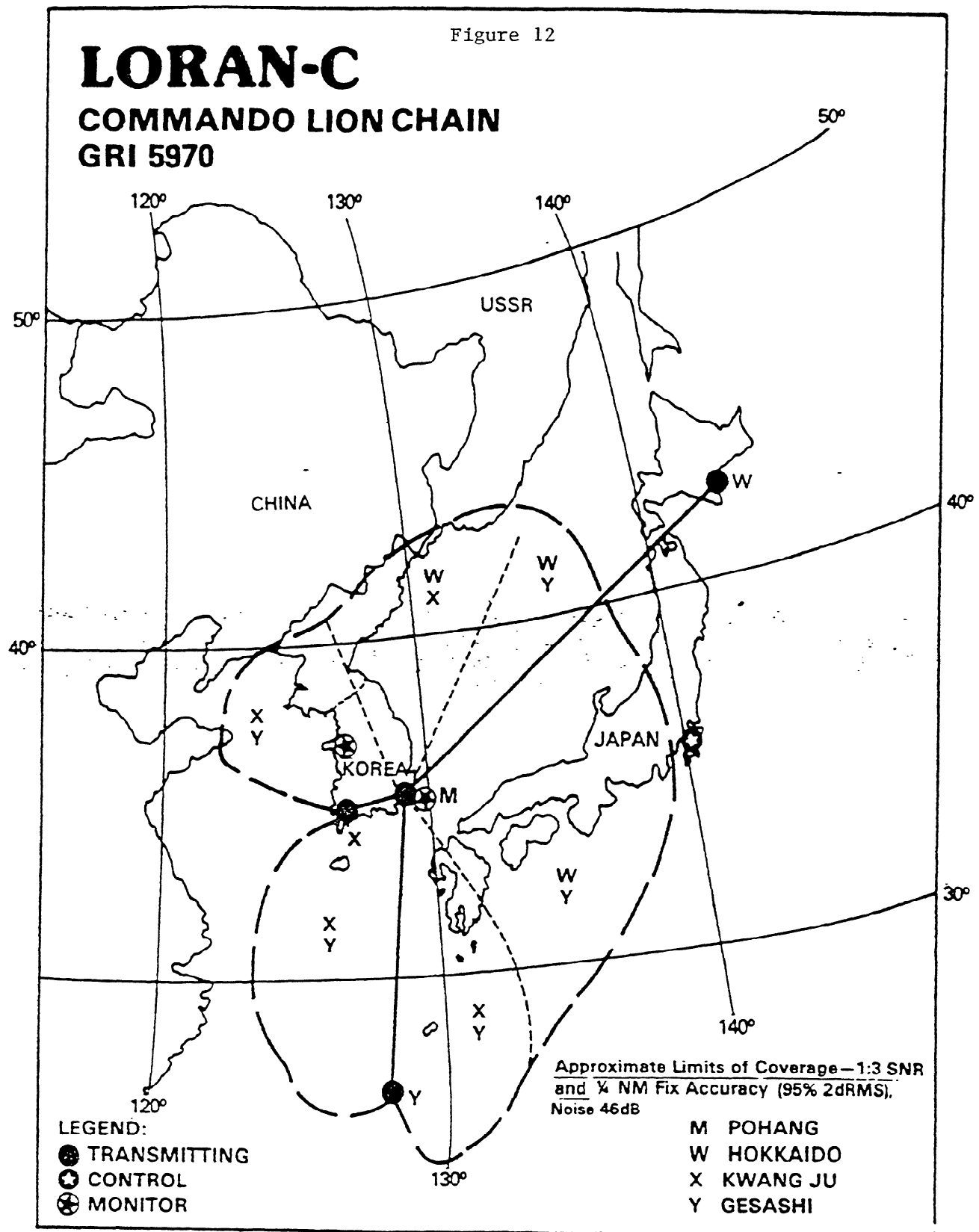


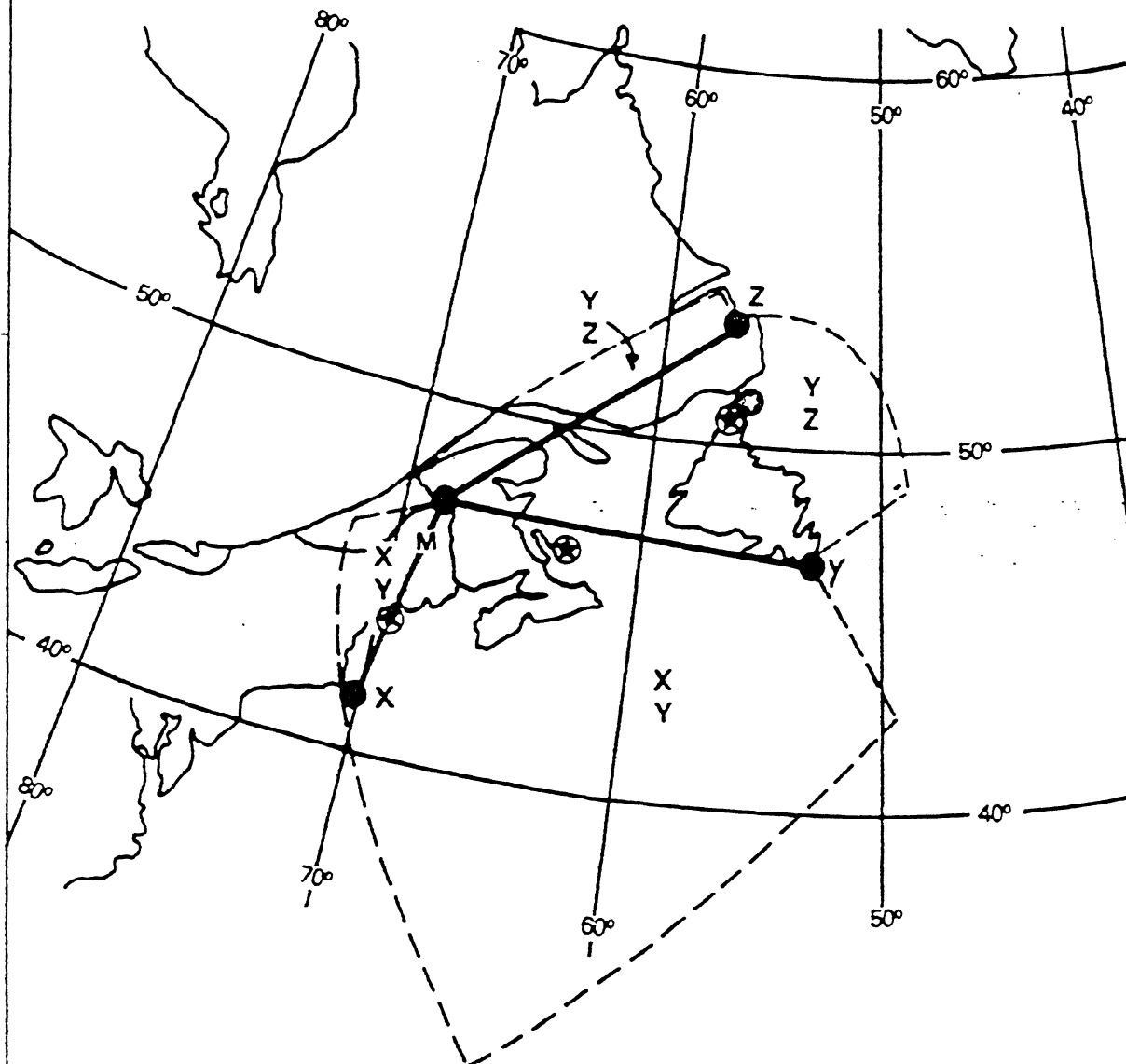
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Figure 13

CANADIAN EAST COAST CHAIN GRI 5930

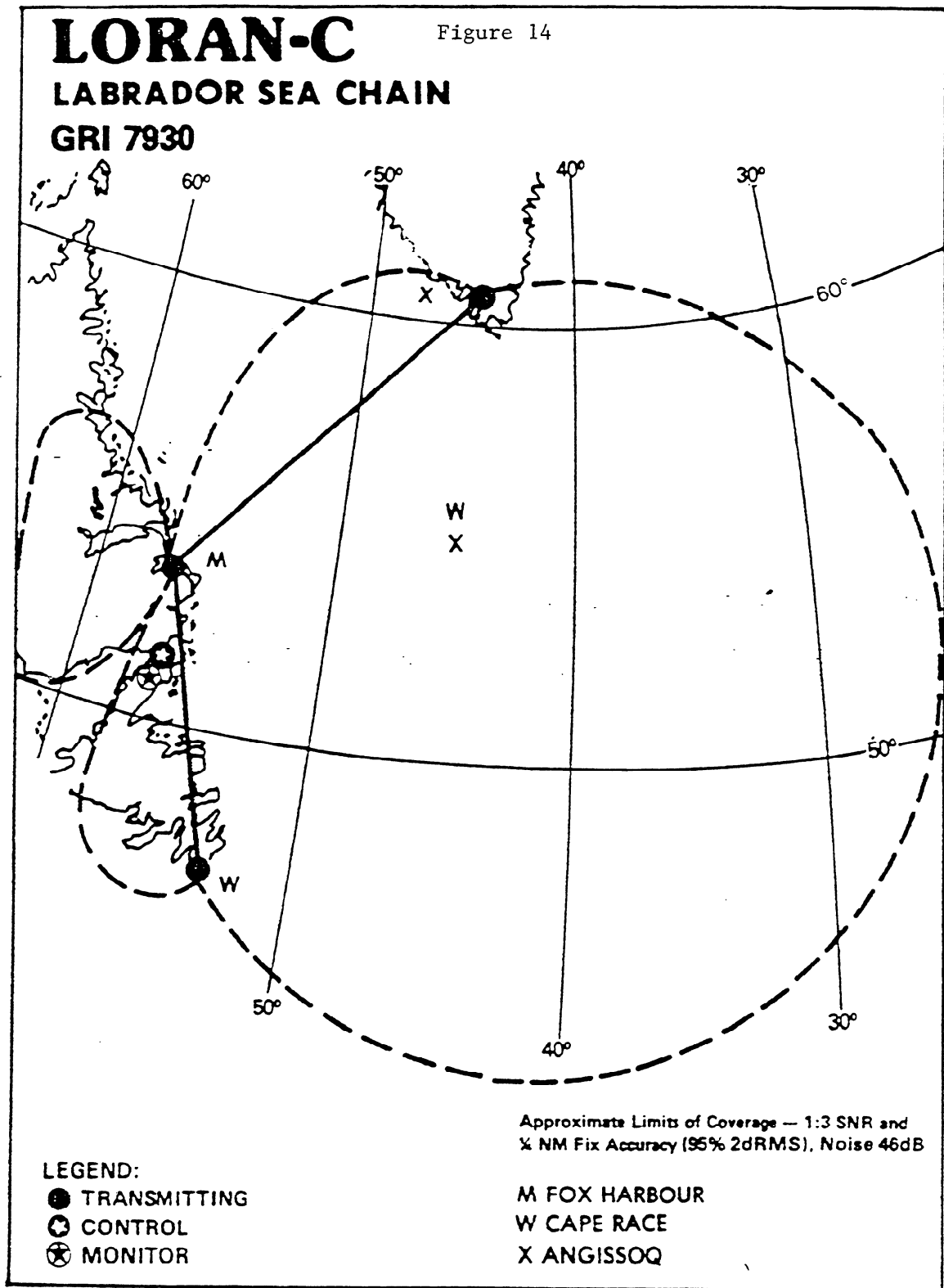


Approximate Limits of Coverage---1:3 SNR and
1/4 NM Fix Accuracy (95% 2dRMS), Noise 50dB

LEGEND:

- TRANSMITTING
- ⊙ CONTROL
- ⊗ MONITOR

- M CARIBOU
- X NANTUCKET
- Y CAPE RACE
- Z FOX HARBOUR

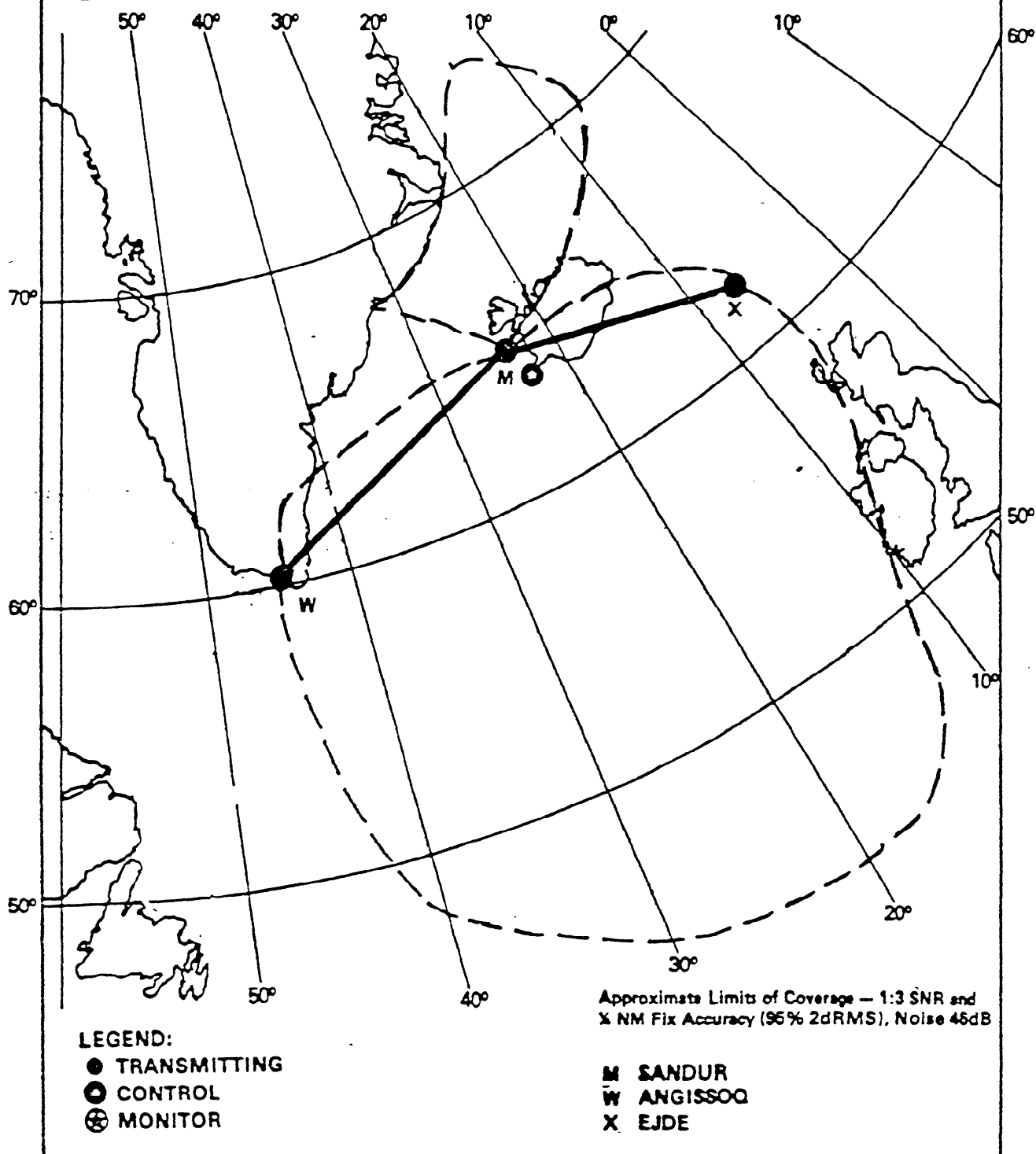


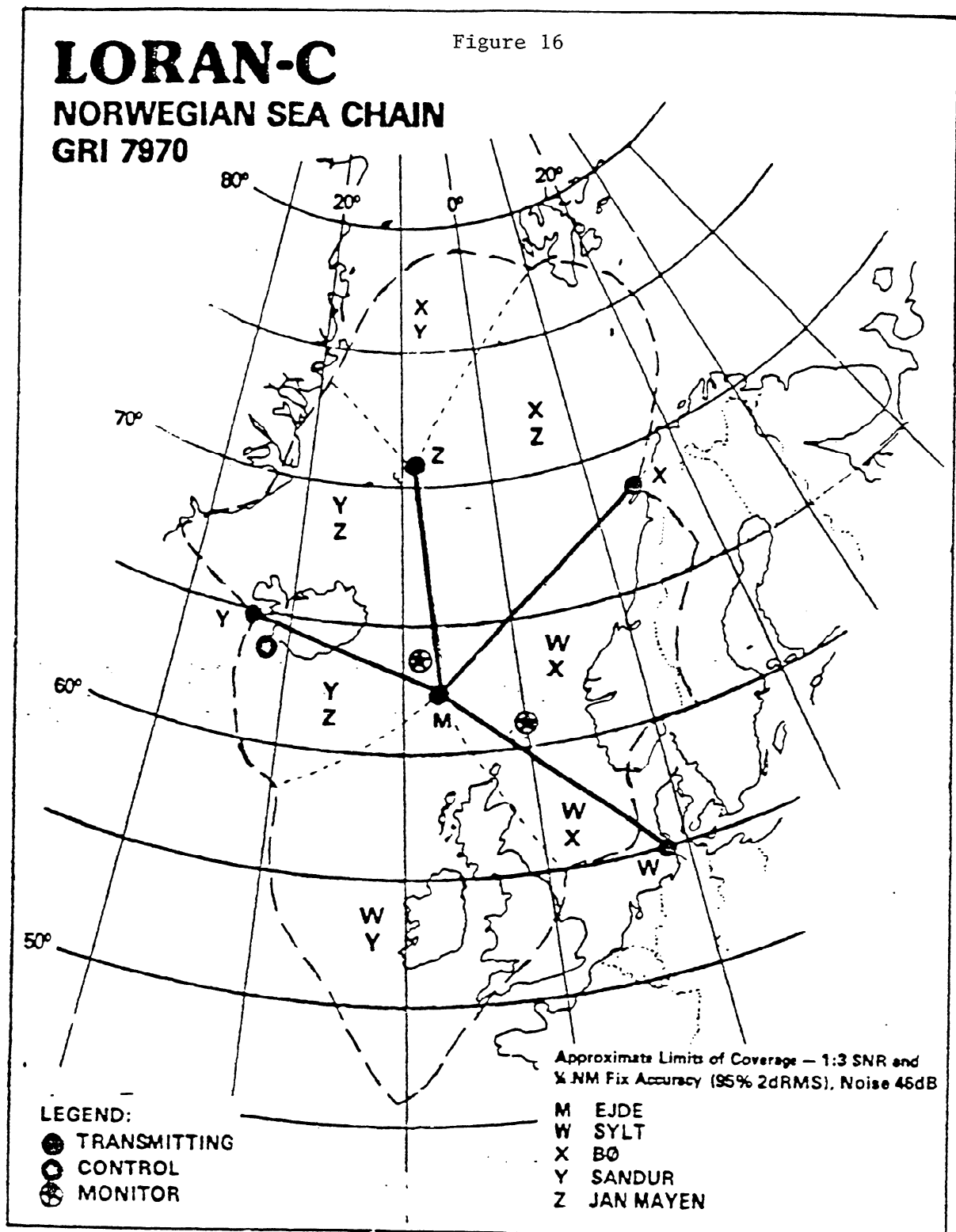
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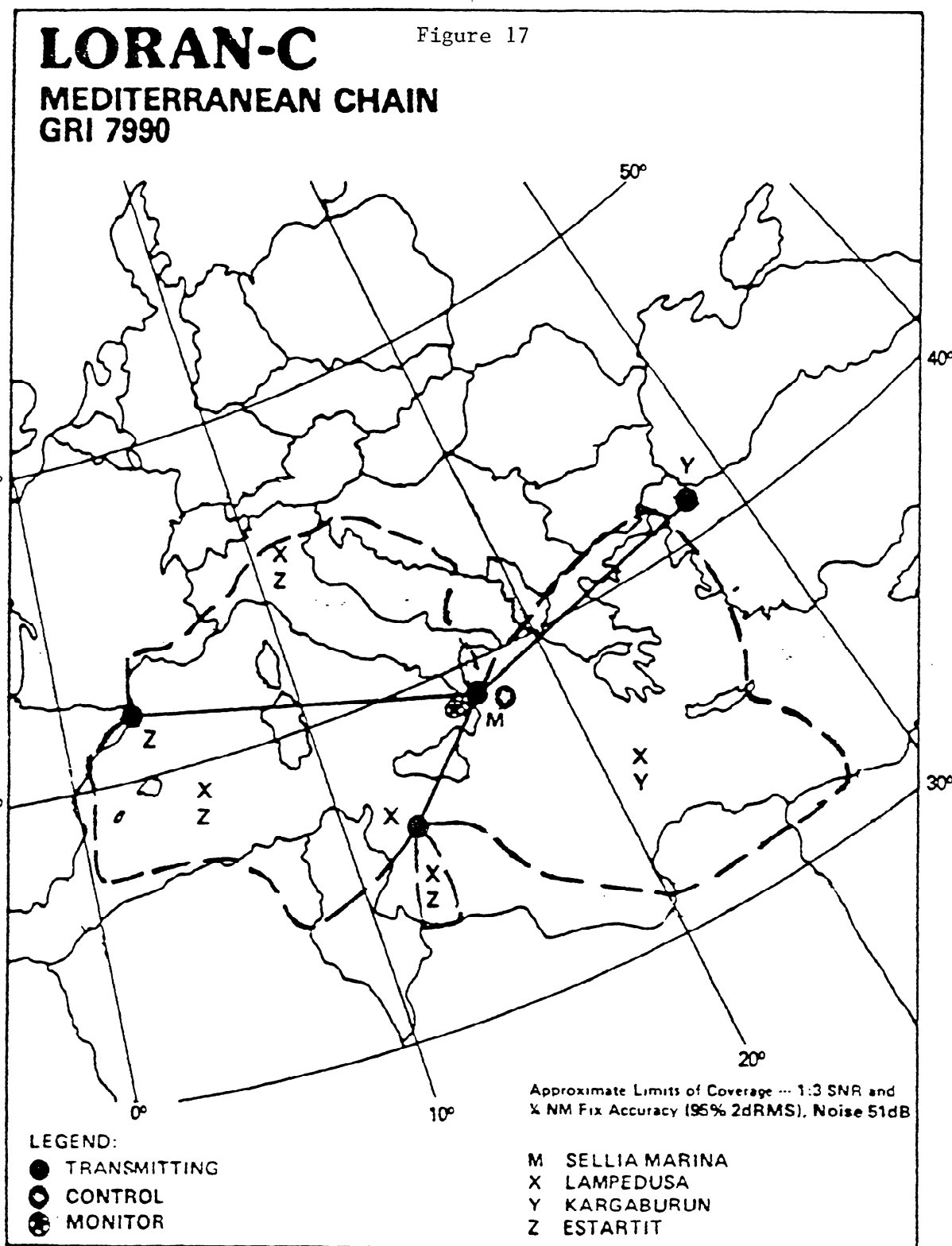
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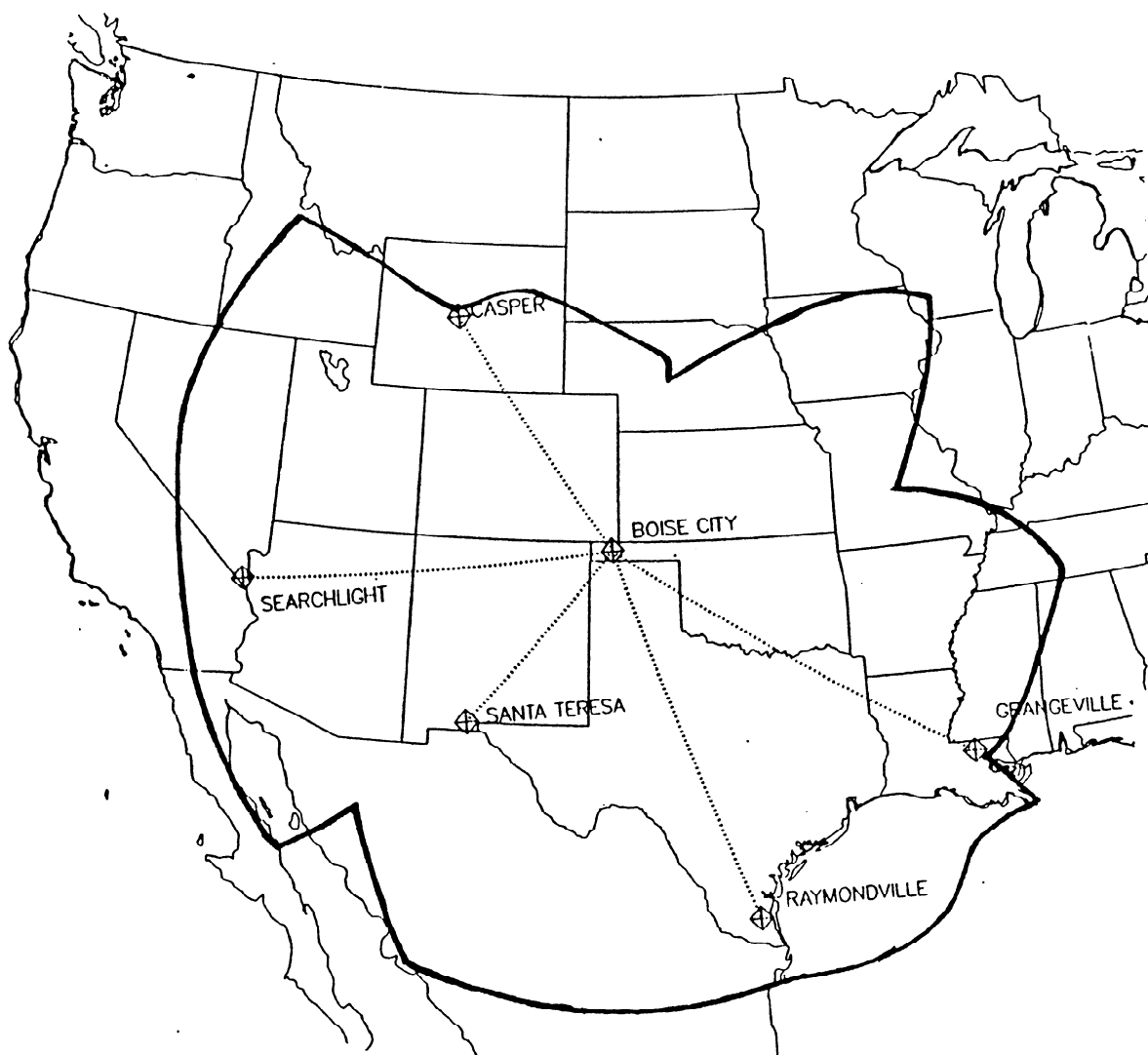


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Figure 18

PROPOSED SOUTH CENTRAL U.S. CHAIN

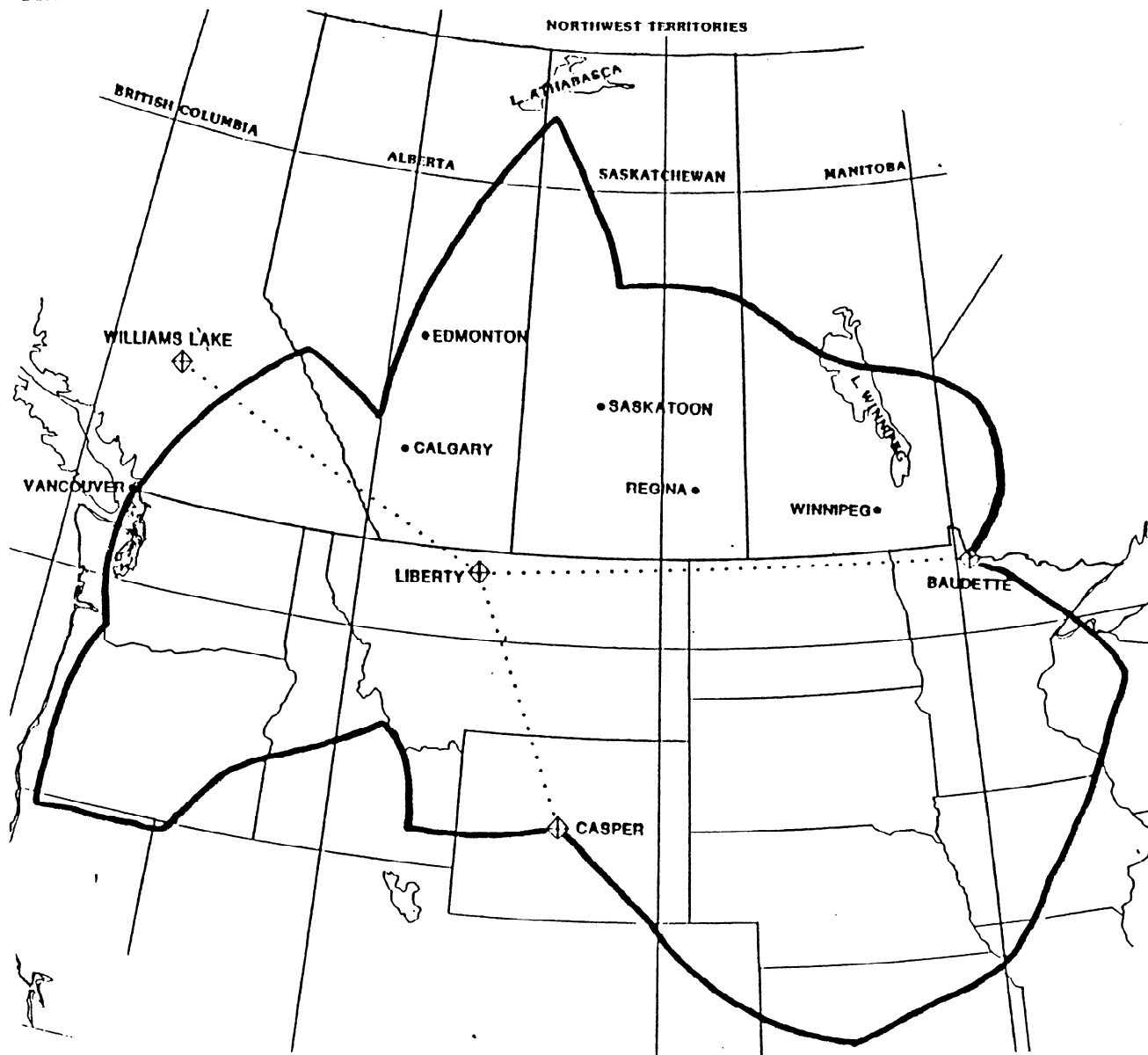


PREDICTED LORAN-C GROUNDWAVE COVERAGE
SOUTH CENTRAL U.S. (SOCUS) CHAIN
0.1 usec TD STD DEV
0.25 NAUTICAL MILE 20RMS
SNR -10DB NOISE 57DB ABOVE 1uV/M

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Figure 19

PROPOSED NORTH CENTRAL U.S. CHAIN



PREDICTED LORAN-C GROUNDWAVE COVERAGE
NORTH CENTRAL U.S. CHAIN (NOCUS)
0.1 USEC TO STD DEV
0.25 NAUTICAL MILE 20RMS
SNR -100B NOISE 5318 ABOVE 10V/M